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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) for:

☒ (x) one month ☐ () three months
☐ () two months ☐ () four months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$110.00.

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() Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.

A verified small entity statement:

() has been filed () is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

(x) Response () Notice of Appeal () Appeal Brief

Respectfully submitted,



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